



## State of the Sound 2004 GUIDE TO TERMS/NOTES

# Guide to Terms

### Puget Sound Action Team

Action Team staff	Puget Sound Action Team Staff
Action Team Partnership	Puget Sound Action Team Partnership Agencies
PIE fund	Public Involvement and Education Fund
PSAMP	Puget Sound Ambient Monitoring Program

### Washington State Agencies

Agriculture	Department of Agriculture
Ecology	Department of Ecology
WDFW	Department of Fish and Wildlife
CTED	Department of Community, Trade and Economic Development
DOH	Department of Health
DNR	Department of Natural Resources
IAC	Interagency Committee for Outdoor Recreation
WSDOT	Department of Transportation
Board of Health	State Board of Health

### Federal Agencies

EPA	U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
NOAA	National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

### Local Agencies

CDs	Conservation Districts
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### Academic Institutions

Sea Grant	University of Washington Sea Grant Program
WSU Extension	Washington State University Extension

### Other Acronyms

CAO	Critical Areas Ordinance
DDT	Dichloro-diphenyl-trichloroethane
ESA	Federal Endangered Species Act
GMA	Washington Growth Management Act
LID	Low Impact Development
PAHs	Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons
PBDEs	Polybrominated Diphenyl Ethers
PBT	Persistent, Bioaccumulative Toxic
PCBs	Polychlorinated Biphenyl
ppb	Parts per billion
ppm	Parts per million
NPDES	National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System
SMA	Shoreline Management Act
SMP	Shoreline Master Program
TMDL	Total Maximum Daily Load

# Notes

<sup>1</sup> Pacific Coast Shellfish Growers Association.

<sup>2</sup> Macdonald, R.W., E.A. Creclius. 1994. "Marine sediments in the Strait of Georgia, Juan de Fuca Strait, and Puget Sound: What can they tell us about contamination?" *1994 Canadian Technical Report of Fisheries and Aquatic Sciences No. 1948*. pp. 101-137.

<sup>3</sup> *Puget Sound Update*, 2002, Puget Sound Action Team. Olympia, Washington. pp. 79-80.

<sup>4</sup> *Superfund Fact Sheet*, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, August 2000. *EPA Spreadsheet*, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, September 2004.

<sup>5</sup> Glasoe, S, Christy, A. 2004. *Literature Review and Analysis: Coastal Urbanization and Microbial Contamination of Shellfish Growing Areas*. Puget Sound Action Team.

<sup>6</sup> Thom, R.M., D.K. Shreffler. 1994. *Shoreline Armoring Effects on Coastal Ecology and Biological Resources in Puget Sound*. Preliminary Report Prepared for Washington Department of Ecology's Shorelands and Coastal Zone Management Program.

<sup>7</sup> Washington Department of Ecology Web Page: [www.ecy.wa.gov/programs/sea/pugetsound/species/salmon.html](http://www.ecy.wa.gov/programs/sea/pugetsound/species/salmon.html).

<sup>8</sup> In December 2004, NOAA Fisheries announced that it proposed to list the southern resident population of orcas as threatened under ESA, (69FR76673).

<sup>9</sup> NOAA Fisheries, formerly known as National Marine Fisheries Service, deemed not warranted under ESA the listing of the Puget Sound/Strait of Georgia evolutionary significant unit (ESU) of chum salmon (63FR11774) and the Puget Sound and Olympic Peninsula ESUs of steelhead (61FR41541).

<sup>10</sup> Myers, J.M. et al., 1998. *Status Review of Chinook Salmon from Washington, Idaho, Oregon, and California*. U.S. Department of Commerce, NOAA Technical Memorandum NMFS-NWFSC-35. 433 p.

<sup>11</sup> Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife Web Page: [http://wdfw.wa.gov/fish/papers/ps\\_chinook\\_management/harvest/2003-04\\_annual\\_report.pdf](http://wdfw.wa.gov/fish/papers/ps_chinook_management/harvest/2003-04_annual_report.pdf)